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NO. 26

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Devastating Floods of Albany, Chicago, &c.—Great Destruction of Property.

CHICAGO, February 9th.
The river began to move yesterday rushed down with great force; tore houses from their moorings, sweeping into the Lake. Much damage was done to the harbor. Several canal boats are in the Lake. Steam-tugs have started tonight.

ALBANY, February 9th.
Anticipated yesterday, a tremendous flood

...damaging property last night to an
...impossible to conjecture, but which

to reach \$100,000 dollars. All last the city was in confusion and excitement. Citizens were engaged all last night, at the and lower part of the city, in removing and storing them away in the second of buildings, where it was thought they could not reach, but their calculations were erroneous. About half-past 10 the ice began moving in the river with tremendous force, threatening the bridge on the next morning. The water rose so rapidly that who were on the docks and piers were obliged to make a rapid retreat. The water river continued rising until 8 this morning it reached a point three feet higher than it was at 10 o'clock last night.

the city is flooded as high as Green-st.

who had retired to bed, thinking themselves safe, were aroused by firemen who roused the sleepers to a sense of danger. The wildest confusion prevailed; people in the lower part of the city having time to escape with their lives. About 6 o'clock the alarm bells were sounded for when flames were discovered bursting forth from houses in different parts of the city. E. J. Turner & Son's lime-kilns and buildings on Broadway; Gilman & Kaler's saw-mills, at the foot of Fourth street, and Barrett's fire-brick store on the piers, all in flames at the same time, the first

The height of the water rendered it

able for the engines to reach the scene of the explosion, but the firemen put off in boats buckets, and confined the flames to the barges where they originated. About this time the wind changed and became piercingly cold.

The propeller *Western World*, lying in front of Burrell's store, caught fire and was burned and sunk, to save her cargo of 4,000 lbs of corn.

CHICAGO, February 9.

We have been visited with the greatest storm of ice experienced in this vicinity since 1849. The Milwaukee Railroad Bridge is damaged considerably. No trains are running on the Chicago and North Western Railroad. The bridge at Elgin has

swept away, and a number of culverts
overl. The Fond du Lac Railroad track

ned away in several places; also, the ice at Aux Plaines. The Burlington Railroad Bridge, across the Bureau river, is gone. Rock Island Railroad Bridge, across the Frigate River, was moved by the ice on Frigate night. An engine tender and six cars precipitated into the river. The engine driver, and brakeman are missing, supposed to be drowned. The Illinois River at this rose twenty-eight feet.

...having latterly yielded dividends

per cent per annum, besides providing a fund for improvements and repairs. The report just issued for last year, it appears that the amount realized last year was £25,837, while the expenses were £15,166, thus leaving a surplus for the year of £10,670. The money purchased during the year four was namely, the Montreal and Bytown, Montreal and Troy, the Belleville and Troy, and the British North American from Montreal to Quebec and Woodville—in all 710 miles.

sides erecting lines from Railway
to towers extending in all 24

year, namely, from Brockville to Whit-
Stratford to St. Mary's, Prescott to
own, Whitby to Stratford, and Co-
to Port Hope—in all 372 miles.
b Marino cables have been laid down
g the year, from Preston to Ogden-
3 wires; St. Helen's to South
3 wires; and from Lachine Canal
St. Anne's, 6 wires, all of which have
d perfectly successful.
e report closes with the following in-
allusion to the Atlantic telegraph:

company has recently been formed under fe-

inspires in Great Britain and the United States to lay a submarine telegraph cable from Scotland to the coast of Ireland, and connect the one already laid down from Newfoundland to Britain. When this is accomplished, telegraph communication will exist between Great Britain and this continent, and the company will have a very lively interest in the success of the enterprise. The Directors were led to hope that the assistance of the provincial legislatures might expedite the company's line to Ireland, and even obtain by purchase or otherwise the exclusive use of one or more conducting wires for the Province. In this, however, they were disappointed, as they observe from the place filled in this city, that even small places have only one conductor, and conse-

all messages passing over the line, must be
 sent to the terminal, and sent to their respective

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at the time of the experiment is probable. Low-
ell states that his experiment is successfully
conducted, more lines will be attempted, and it is
possible that a submarine cable may yet be
laid at no very distant day, from Quebec down
the St. Lawrence, through the Straits of
Labrador, and across to England or Ireland. This
is for the moment, presents advantages which
surpass by any other, and such a line is
desirable for the interests, both of the Prov-
ince and of the commercial community.¹³

straightway returned with four Spaniards; these being also denied admittance,

and a discount, he came a third time with red coppers, and a very copperish look-
 ation. Being informed by the official
 the window that coppers were not a le-
 gal tender to a larger extent than three cents
 per piece, the man from the rural district cool-
 ly passed a single stamp, and repeated the
 demand till his persecutor caved in, and took
 the remaining cents in a lump, much to the
 satisfaction of the individual outside—a
 field Republican.

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Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Marmora, Belleville, and various receipts.

EXPENDITURE.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Jan. 2nd, To Intelligence, Council order, 1885, etc.

STATIONERS' ACCOUNTS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Jan. 20th, To Rawlins, etc.

TOWNSHIP TREASURERS' 24 PER CENT.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Trenching for 1885, etc.

COUNCILLORS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Payment of 7 meetings, 1885, etc.

COURT HOUSE EXPENSES.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To Geo. for brooms, etc.

SALARIES OF COUNTY COUNCIL OFFICERS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To County Surveyor, half year, etc.

WARDEN.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Services for 1885, etc.

SINKING FUND.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To 1-5th of a penny in the £2 on assessment of 1885, etc.

WOLF SCALPS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Feb. 14, To Edward Paul, etc.

JURY LAW.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To Jurors payment of, for the year, per pay list, etc.

ROADS AND BRIDGES—(Cash Payments).

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To P. J. Robin, Bridge Franklin, etc.

DEBENTURES REDEEMED.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To Peter Fabry, on contract for Building of Shire Hall, No. 52 to 56, and 58 to 60 inclusive, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Martin Seely, Bridge Rosebush's, etc.

INTEREST.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To Peter Fabry, on Debentures 58 and 61, etc.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To Sheriff, 1/4 Quarter Sessions' pay list, etc.

CORONERS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To Coroner, 1/4 Quarter Sessions' pay list, etc.

CONSTABLES.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes 1/4 Quarter Sessions' pay list, etc.

SHIRE HALL—CASH PAYMENTS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To Northcott, carpenter, etc.

NEW WATER CLOSETS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To David Lane, curb on new wall, etc.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To Wallbridge, law fee, etc.

RECAPITULATION.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Jan'y 1, By Balance per last year's audit, etc.

RECEIPTS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Jan'y 1, By Balance per last year's audit, etc.

EXPENDITURE.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes To Printing and Advertising, etc.

Which Balance is the excess of Expenditures over Receipts.

F. MCANNANY, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.

ROBERT READ, Auditor.

E. W. HOLTON, Auditor.

When Due, etc.

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(Note.—When all the Taxes for 1885 are received, the 1-5th of a penny in the pound, amounting to £2,119 10s, will be passed to credit of "Sinking Fund" and the amount debited with interest accruing thereon at 4 1/2 per cent. (45/100 lbs. 10s.).)

COUNTY ROADS.

Jan'y 1, By Balance on hand per last year's audit, etc.

Feb'y 1, "Amounts borrowed to pay interest on Loan Fund Debentures, etc.

From Bank of Montreal, £2000 0 0

"Maddox W.L. L. Tax, 250 0 0

"Coupons remitted Receiver General, 343 0 0

By Proceeds of the £26,083-6s. 8d. Loan Fund Debentures, remaining unsold the 1st Jan'y, and sold through the Bank of Montreal, etc.

"Tolls from Gates, viz: Shannonville, 231 5 0

"Hungerford, 40 0 0

"Stirling & Franklin, 77 15 0

"Loan from Dk of Montreal, 5,000 0 0

"Assessment in liquidation of Loan Fund Debentures, [See Appendix], 1,273 0 0

Total Receipts, £13,880 8 2

EXPENDITURE.

Feb. 1, To Receiver General, interest due the 1st January, etc.

"Baker and Wess, Carriage hire, 5 17 6

Feb. 28, "Intelligence, Printing Warden's Order, 14 17 11

April 21, "Vandewater on account Toll Houses, 25 0 0

"Witnesses in Mowat's case, 5 0 0

"R. H. Jones, Posting By-ford House, moving Toll Gate, Stirling & Franklin, 11 5 0

Aug. 18, "Jamison, Plank, Hungerford Road, 16 8 0

"Painting Toll Gate, Stirling Road, 20 15 0

"Gould, Repairs, Shannonville, 0 8 8

"R. L. Innes, (£165 of last year's salary included) Salaries of Toll Gate Keepers—Shannonville, 40 0 0

"Hungerford, 20 0 0

"Stirling, 40 0 0

"Jamison, Arbitrator, Road Contractors, viz: Ranney, £2,700 0 0

"Turley, 1,925 0 0

"Neilson, 100 0 0

"Bartlett, 1,275 0 0

"Blainey, 1,850 0 0

"Hamby, 2,125 0 0

Oct. 27, "Refunded Hungerford and Maddox money borrowed 1st February, 335 14 0

Feb. 2, To Warden for John McDonald, 225 0 0

"Warden for Cyrus Percy, 33 0 0

March "Hiram Perry, 25 0 0

"R. R. Perry, 25 0 0

April "Trinity College, 2 0 0

May "Queen's College, 0 3 4

June "Isaac Fraser, 0 13 7

"John H. Fleming, 0 15 0

July "William Haggerty, 0 13 0

Oct. "John Daily, 1 11 0

"John Campbell, 15 0 0

"John Alcock, 8 10 0

"Warden, drafts on account of his Expenses 47 10 0

Collected for Townships by County Treasurer, during the year 1885

RAMSEY.

Thomas Wellbank, £0 12 3

Samuel Bailey, 7 8 0

T. Kirkpatrick, 2 17 4

Honorable John Macaulay, 1 0 7

Canada Company, 6 6 1

John T. H. Fuller, 1 0 6

J. McQuillan, 0 6 0

Peter Lloyd, 1 2 9

John T. H. Fuller, 2 14 7

N. G. Taylor, 4 16 8

Samuel Plummer, 1 10 0

Robert Hughes, 1 18 0

£11 9 9

MARY & ELIZABETH.

Alex. M. Brown, 0 14 0

James Hughes, 4 7 8

R. J. Chapman, 1 8 2

R. Bird, 0 10 0

H. O'Brien, 2 11 11

Honorable J. Macaulay, 2 13 9

Canada Company, 22 17 0

C. Bowler, 6 7 3

T. Armstrong, 0 13 11

Thomas Ayle, 0 8 10

E. K. Smith, 1 9 4

William Coulter, 0 10 0

Jos. Slater, 2 15 0

H. B. Smith & Co., 1 7 6

H. Cook, 0 6 0

James Daw, 1 14 0

W. McGinnis, 2 17 2

J. P. Lane, 0 9 7

£56 11 3

HUNTERDON.

Church Society, £1 13 0

Isaac Taylor, 1 2 0

R. Johnston, 1 10 7

Roger Power, 1 3 4

T. Kirkpatrick, 2 15 11

Thos. Curry, 0 13 11

Canada Company, 14 10 2

J. McCutcheon, 0 14 2

E. A. Stewart, 0 13 11

J. McCutcheon, 1 0 3

James Henderson, 8 1 6

Mungo Brodie, 0 10 6

John Mowat, 1 1 3

H. B. Smith & Co., 1 17 1

James Douglas, 2 16 0

John Fisher, 2 16 0

Robinson & Robinson, 2 16 0

H. B. Smith, 1 0 0

John Brodie, 0 12 3

£52 12 6

HEMLOCK.

Honorable W. D. Robinson, 0 10 0

U. Schinner, 0 11 3

R. Bird, 0 13 0

T. Kirkpatrick, 0 8 0

Honorable J. Macaulay, 0 11 3

Canada Company, 4 19 0

John Archibald, 1 1 3

Robinson & Robinson, 1 9 6

Peter Verrill, 0 6 3

Samuel Porter, 0 6 0

£16 19 1

MARMORA.

John D., £3 4 0

Alex. M. Farcy, 2 3 2

Bank U. C., 2 3 3

S. Hawley, 1 0 4

T. Kirkpatrick, 2 17 7

Canada Company, 22 2 4

J. McCutcheon, 4 14 6

Ridout Bro., 0 13 7

Trinity College, 0 13 0

Queen's College, 0 7 4

Isaac Fraser, 0 13 0

John H. Fleming, 0 15 0

W. R. Cullen, 0 13 0

C. Oliver, 1 11 0

John Harkis, 1 15 0

F. Gaboris, 0 13 2

MacNee & Waddell, 1 10 0

Abram Munro, 2 5 0

£49 1 3

LAKE.

A. Gilmore, 5 years Taxes, £103 10 7

Simsby, 3 12 0

Canada Company, £3 10 0

Joseph Slater, 0 15 7

£4 7 7

F. MCANNANY, Treasurer.

31st December, 1885.

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CHOOSE BETWEEN THEM.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

THESE PILLS furnish the material of every bone, blood, and fibre in the human frame. They purify, secure health to every organ; when corrupt, it necessarily produces disease. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS operate directly upon the source of the stream of life, neutralizing the principle of disease, and thereby curing the malady, whether local or in the system, the stomach, the liver, the bowels, the kidneys, the bladder, or any other part of the system.

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* Sold at the Manufacturing and Wholesale Establishments, 50 Maiden Lane, New York, and 224 Strand, London, by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the United States and the civilized world, in boxes, at 25 cents, 50 cents, and £1.

NO. 27.

Skeleton of a *Thrinacoselache*

The following well-merited burlesque upon that affected display of a "learning," which is sometimes attained in the sacred desk, is from the Knickerbocker Magazine. We commend an ambitious theological student and

thy family has a specimen of its own, and no enlightenment on the subject. Dis-

1st—Speak of the Calf, and inform readers how a calf should be fattened. Give all the milk of the cows, except a tin can now and then for the baby. Here you make some learned remarks about the way, the belt of Jupiter, and Lord Ross's escape.

2d—He killed the fatted Calf, but not the Scriptures, but Josephus and the Fathers are profoundly silent on the question he killed it. As this was more than a thousand years before the invention of rumour.

didn't shoot the critter, but pitched in with a club—for clubs are very ancient.

3d—Explain why the old gentleman, of a calf, didn't kill a shoot—make a one barbecue and have a real time of it.

4th—Inform your hearers what the word means when used in Greek, Latin, Chinese or Lockjaw.

5th—Dwell pathetically upon the melody degeneracy of the present age, evincing the fact that the fathers now-a-days, instead of treating a run-away son to a "Fatted Calf," are so prettily apt to treat him to a "heasty Calf soup," made from the hide of the calf.

learnedly about "grapewade" and "trac
conglomerate." Mind, the

BRANTFORD, C. W., Feb. 16.—A big mill-dam swept away at Holm dale, a mile from this place, by the freshet damage probably about \$8,000.

GALT, Feb. 17.—**GREAT FLOOD.**—Late about 12 o'clock the ice on Dickson's the north end of the town, gave way a resistible force, carrying along with it a large quantity of lumber and other material.

dwelling houses, until it arrived at the bridge on Main street where the acci-

ice and timber were raised so high as to be in contact with the woodwork and carry the upper part of the bridge and so damaged the remainder. Extensive work built last summer along the river side, private enterprises, are entirely demolished. It is reported that some parties have lost their lives and about 40 hogs were taken away from distillery of Fleming and Robinson. Much property loss has been sustained, which cannot be estimated. The River is said to be six feet higher than since 1816. No life, although many were hurt.

and the lower part of the City is flooded

STRAKE AFFAIR.—The following information has been posted at the Liverpool writer's Rooms:—"The *Kelpie* (opium steamer) was lost in the China seas in 1841, all her crew and passengers were saved."

the passengers having been lately offered in fairs, inquiries were inter-

which led to the discovery of the passengers not having been drowned, their being in a state of slavery in the land of Formosa."

✶ A few days ago a Mr. Montgomery was robbed in that city, while the influence of stimulants, from the use of which he died. The coroner's report shows that it was one of the most heinous crimes yet committed during this month of horrors. It has elicited the fact that he was designedly poisoned by a conspiracy

was dogged by men who knew he

was tempted to drink with them, and on step by step till he became unconscious, was robbed, drugged, and abandoned. His daughter found him senseless in a drinking-house in Franklin Street; he resuscitated just long enough to receive her, relapsed into stupefaction and died a few days. Several suspected persons have been arrested. One depraved wretch, a ring-leader of this band of assassins, has escaped, and no clue has yet been obtained. — *Toronto Colonist*.

down last week at nine at night, nine miles from station. The Conductor started on

through the snow to get another machine. Stager, a telegrapher, being in one of the got out, and taking down the main wire the pole along side the track, cut it, strung small brass wires to the two ends—"do the distress of his train to the Pittsburg and Brighton stations; and putting on the brass points to his tongue, read the answer that an engine should be sent, and talked off this lightning to his anxious passengers.

THE THREE P's.—It is said that

...ring feast was given. The author

“The Press—The Pulpit—and the Courts; the three ruling powers of the The first spreads knowledge, the second aids, and the last spreads ——— considers

☞ The greatest depth obtained by United States Navy officers in their survey of the bed of the sea, was 2,070 fathoms—and a half miles.

☞ A wise lady writer says: “the wistigmities many men as wicked, with wistigmities would be too heavy to pay

For, in the following Report
TO THE PUBLIC OPINION OF BELLEVILLE
DIVISION OF THE DEPT. OF TEMPERANCE.

"That the ladies, the Committee of management in connection with the Soiree that came off on Thursday evening the 12th inst., be-
lieve that the sum of Seventy Dollars, con-
tributed by their chairman, Mr. Holden, subject to the order of the Division, the sum of Seventy Dollars, to be applied on the balance of debt
owed to the Division."
All which is respectfully submitted.
Signed on behalf of the Committee.
Mina J. E. Cuyver.

Moved by Mrs. Wm. C. Cuyver, of W. C. T. U. N. Yelvey, and resolved "That the thanks of this Division are due and are hereby tendered to Mrs. Chilver, Miss Mott, Miss Beckett, Miss Tilly, Mrs. G. C. Cuyver, Miss B. Rankin, Mrs. G. B. Beesley, the Committee, through whose laudable and voluntary exertions the public were so gracefully entertained, trained, and instructed, and for the valuable contribution of a most magnificent and valuable character."

I remain, Sir,
Your most respectfully,
Wm. TILLY,
Feb. 20th, 1857.

